

Alton (city), Illinois

People QuickFacts	Alton	Illinois
Population, 2014 estimate	27,177	12,880,580
Population, 2013 estimate	27,360	12,890,552
Population, 2010 (April 1) estimates base	27,918	12,831,587
Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2014	-2.7%	0.4%
Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2013	-2.0%	0.5%
Population, 2010	27,865	12,830,632
Persons under 5 years, percent, 2010	7.3%	6.5%
Persons under 18 years, percent, 2010	24.1%	24.4%
Persons 65 years and over, percent, 2010	13.9%	12.5%
Female persons, percent, 2010	52.2%	51.0%

White alone, percent, 2010 (a)	68.5%	71.5%
Black or African American alone, percent, 2010 (a)	26.6%	14.5%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent, 2010 (a)	0.2%	0.3%
Asian alone, percent, 2010 (a)	0.5%	4.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent, 2010 (a)	Z	0.0%
Two or More Races, percent, 2010	3.7%	2.3%
Hispanic or Latino, percent, 2010 (b)	1.9%	15.8%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent, 2010	67.4%	63.7%

Living in same house 1 year & over, percent, 2009-2013	86.3%	86.8%
Foreign born persons, percent, 2009-2013	1.4%	13.8%
Language other than English spoken at home, pct age 5+, 2009-2013	2.3%	22.3%
High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25+, 2009-2013	88.8%	87.3%
Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25+, 2009-2013	19.1%	31.4%
Veterans, 2009-2013	2,201	727,919
Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16+, 2009-2013	22.7	28.0
Housing units, 2010	13,266	5,296,715
Homeownership rate, 2009-2013	60.5%	67.5%
Housing units in multi-unit structures, percent, 2009-2013	22.1%	32.9%

Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2009-2013	\$84,600	\$182,300
Households, 2009-2013	11,606	4,772,723
Persons per household, 2009-2013	2.33	2.63
Per capita money income in past 12 months (2013 dollars), 2009-2013	\$19,567	\$29,666
Median household income, 2009-2013	\$36,973	\$56,797
Persons below poverty level, percent, 2009-2013	24.6%	14.1%
Business QuickFacts	Alton	Illinois
Total number of firms, 2007	1,736	1,123,817
Black-owned firms, percent, 2007	7.8%	9.5%
American Indian- and Alaska Native-owned firms, percent, 2007	F	0.5%
Asian-owned firms, percent, 2007	S	5.3%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander-owned firms, percent, 2007	F	0.1%
Hispanic-owned firms, percent, 2007	S	5.0%
Women-owned firms, percent, 2007	23.0%	30.5%

Manufacturers shipments, 2007 (\$1000)	D 257,760,713	
Merchant wholesaler sales, 2007 (\$1000)	189,186	231,082,768
Retail sales, 2007 (\$1000)	600,971	165,450,520
Retail sales per capita, 2007	\$20,430	\$12,947
Accommodation and food services sales, 2007 (\$1000)	73,626	25,469,026
Geography QuickFacts	Alton	Illinois
Land area in square miles, 2010	15.47	55,518.93
Persons per square mile, 2010	1,801.2	231.1
FIPS Code	01114	17
Counties	Madison County	